IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (previously presented) An indication unit for use with a portable wireless device, the indication unit comprising:

a motion sensor sensing when said portable wireless device has been moved from a stationary position, and for generating a signal indicating that said portable wireless device has been moved;

a user notification unit for providing a message indication to a user; and

a controller responsive to receipt of said signal for activating said user notification unit to notify a user that a message arrived while said user was presumed not in a vicinity of said portable wireless device.

2. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a telephone.

3. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a personal digital assistant.

4. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a short message service (SMS) device.

5. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a pager.

6. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said motion sensor comprises:

a BLUETOOTH™-enabled transceiver for establishing a communication channel with another BLUETOOTH™-equipped device.

7. (canceled)

8. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said motion sensor comprises:

a global positioning system (GPS) receiver to detect motion.

9. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein:

said portable wireless device detects motion by sensing changes in its own position.

10. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a GPS receiver for receiving GPS location information; and

a receiver for receiving GPS location information transmitted to said portable wireless device from said user.

11. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said motion sensor comprises:

a voice recognition unit for recognizing a voice of said user when said user has returned to said vicinity of said portable device.

12. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said user notification unit comprises:

a message indicator for informing said user of a pending message.

13. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 12, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a telephone;

wherein said pending message is a voice mail.

14. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said indication provided to said user comprises:

an audible indication.

15. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said indication provided to said user comprises:

a vibration of said portable wireless device.

16. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein said message comprises:

an appointment reminder.

17. (previously presented) The indication unit of claim 1, wherein:

said indication unit is located on an integrated chip.

18. (previously presented) A portable wireless device comprising an indication unit, said indication unit comprising:

a motion sensor for sensing when said portable wireless device has been moved from a stationary position, and for generating a signal indicating that said portable wireless device has been moved;

a user notification unit for providing a message indication to a user; and

a controller responsive to receipt of said signal for activating said user notification unit to notify a user that a message arrived while said user was presumed not in a vicinity of said portable wireless device.

19. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said motion sensor comprises:

a BLUETOOTH™-enabled transceiver for establishing a communication channel with another BLUETOOTH™-equipped device associated with said user.

20. (canceled)

21. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said motion sensor comprises:

a global positioning system (GPS) receiver to detect motion.

22. (previously presented) The device of claim 21, wherein:

said portable wireless device detects motion by sensing changes in its own position.

23. (canceled)

24. (currently amended) The device of claim 18, wherein said ~~proximity detector~~ motion sensor comprises:

a voice recognition unit for recognizing a voice of said user when said user has returned to said vicinity of said portable device.

25. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said user notification unit comprises:

a message indicator for informing said user of a pending message.

26. (previously presented) The device of claim 25, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a telephone;

wherein said pending message is a voice mail.

27. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said indication provided to said user comprises:

an audible indication.

28. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said indication provided to said user comprises:

a vibration of said portable wireless device.

29. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a wireless telephone.

30. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a personal digital assistant.

31. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a short message service (SMS) device.

32. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said portable wireless device comprises:

a pager.

33. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein said message comprises:

an appointment reminder.

34. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein:

said indication unit is provided on an integrated circuit chip.

35. (previously presented) The device of claim 18, wherein:

said motion sensor and said user notification unit are provided on an integrated circuit chip.

36. (previously presented) A method for operating a portable wireless device, said method comprising:

sensing that said portable wireless device has been moved from a stationary position;

detecting when a user has returned to a vicinity of said portable wireless device based on sensed movement of said portable wireless device; and

notifying said user that a message had occurred while said user was not in said vicinity of said portable wireless device upon detecting when said portable wireless device has been moved from said stationary position.

37. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein said sensing that said portable wireless device has been moved comprises:

establishing a BLUETOOTH™ communication channel between said portable wireless device and a user-carried BLUETOOTH™ device.

38. (canceled)

39. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein said sensing that said portable wireless device has been moved comprises:

utilizing a global positioning system (GPS) receiver to detect changes in position of said portable wireless device.

40. (canceled)

41. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein said sensing that said portable wireless device has been moved comprises:

detecting an audio output from said user.

42. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein said notifying comprises:

providing said user with a pending message indication.

43. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein said providing said user with a pending message indication comprises:

providing said user with an audible indication.

44. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein said providing said user with a pending message indication comprises:

providing said user with a vibration indication.